



AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the amended paragraphs provided herewith in **Attachment A**.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims provided herewith in **Attachment B**.

In addition, the following papers are attached herewith to the present response:

Remarks to this Amendment are provided herewith in **Attachment C**.

Statement Concerning Deposit of Biological Material

Excerpts from the Written Description Guidelines (Example 16 – Antibodies)

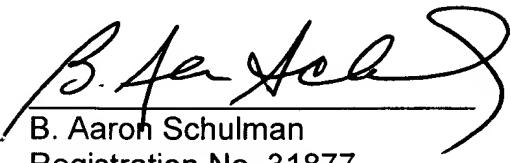
A Copy of the Declaration of Dr. Joseph M. Patti, Ph.D. filed in the parent application Serial No. 08/293,728; and

A Copy of the Preliminary Amendment filed October 5, 2000 in the parent application Serial No. 08/293,728.

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application is sought for the reasons as stated in the attached Remarks.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHMENT A

Clean Replacement Paragraphs

At the following locations, replace the previously provided paragraph with the following clean paragraph(s).

Page 1, prior to the first line:

This is a Divisional of Application No. 09/421,868, filed October 19, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,177,084, which was a divisional application of Application No. 08/293,728, filed August 22, 1994, now U.S. Patent No. 6,008,341.